



Docket No.: 1466.1006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Fumihiko NAMIKI, et al.

Serial No. 09/473,047

Group Art Unit: 2879

Confirmation No. 9541

Filed: December 28, 1999

Examiner: Sikha Roy

For: GAS-DISCHARGE DISPLAY APPARATUS HAVING OPTICAL FILTER SELECTIVELY  
ABSORBING LIGHT OF A WAVELENGTH EQUAL TO THAT OF THE LIGHT  
EMISSION OF THE DISCHARGE GAS (AS AMENDED)

AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2001, and having a period for response set to expire on March 19, 2002. A Petition for a two-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same, is submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to May 19, 2002. May 19, 2002 having been a Sunday, this response, with a two month extension of Time, is timely filed as of Monday, May 20, 2002.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

**IN THE TITLE:**

Please substitute the following title:

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